



Teen Dystopian Fiction Reading List

Check out these titles at the Ellsworth Public Library! The call numbers are in **bold**.

The Adoration of Jenna Fox by Mary E. Pearson **yF Pea** In the not-so-distant future, when synthetic bodies and brains are possible but illegal, a seventeen-year-old girl, recovering from a serious accident and suffering from memory lapses, learns a startling secret about her existence.

Brain Jack by Brian Faulker (available as an e-book through [Maine Infonet](#))

In a near-future New York City, fourteen-year-old computer genius Sam Wilson manages to hack into the AT&T network and sets off a chain of events that have a profound effect on human activity throughout the world.

Control by Lydia Kang **yF Kan** In 2150, when genetic manipulation has been outlawed, seventeen-year-old Zelia must rescue her kidnapped sister with the help of a band of outcasts with mutated genes.

Crewel by Gennifer Albin **yF Alb** Gifted with the unusual ability to embroider the very fabric of life, sixteen-year-old Adelize is summoned by Manipulation Services to become a Spinster, a move that will separate her from her beloved family and home forever.

Delirium by Lauren Oliver **yF Oli** Lena looks forward to receiving the government-mandated cure that prevents the delirium of love and leads to a safe, predictable, and happy life, until right before her eighteenth birthday and her treatment, when she falls in love.

Feed by M.T. Anderson **yF And** In a future where most people have computer implants in their heads to control their environment, a boy meets an unusual girl who wants to control herself.

Gone by Michael Grant **yF Gra** When everyone over the age of fourteen suddenly disappears from a California town, a battle erupts between the remaining residents and the students from a local school, as well as those who have "The Power" and those who do not.

Legend by Marie Lu **yF Lu** In a dark future, when North America has split into two warring nations, fifteen-year-olds Day, a famous criminal, and prodigy June, the brilliant soldier hired to capture him, discover that they have a common enemy.

More than This by Patrick Ness **yF Nes** Awakening inexplicably in the suburban English town of his early childhood after drowning, Seth is baffled by changes in the community and suffers from agonizing memories that reveal sinister qualities about the world around him.

Ship Breaker by Paulo Bacigalupi **yF Bac** In a futuristic world, teenaged Nailor scavenges copper wiring from grounded oil tankers for a living, but when he finds a beached ship with a girl in the wreckage, he has to decide if he should strip the ship or rescue the girl.